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For: BROADCASTING APPARATUS,

BROADCASTING METHOD,

PROGRAM RECORDING MEDIUM, AND PROGRAM THAT PROVIDE

INTERACTIVE OPERATION IMMEDIATELY AFTER REPRODUCTION START July 2, 2008

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